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A ONE STORY FRAME HOUSE and two lots, in block 6, North addition, fronting on Water street. $1200.

No. 1003.

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No. 1039.

A HOUSE and lot, in block 4, North addition, on Church street. fronting east. $900.

No. 1137.

80 ACRE FARM, in section 11, township 15, range 3 east. High rolling land, with running water. $2500.

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No. 1027.

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No. 1051.

A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE in block 3, South addition, on South Main street. $3200.

No. 1070.

A HOUSE and lot on East William street in Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s addition. $2100.

1138

160 ACRE FARM, in section 29, township 15, range 2 east. A two story frame dwelling, barn, &c. Fenced with hedge, and well improved. Price, $50 per acre.

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40 ACRES in Platt county, at $22.50 per acre.

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178 ACRES in section 7, township 14, range 2 east. Two houses, and otherwise well improved. Price, $65 per acre.

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7 ACRES of timber land near Niantic, for sale cheap. Enquire of
WARREN & DURFEE.

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A TWO STORY frame dwelling and two lots, in Rolling Mill 1st addition. Price, $1150.

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FOR SALE—A house and lot at north end of Church street, cheap, at $550.

1140

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A VACANT LOT, fronting Eldorado street, 60 by 162 feet, in Read & Co.'s addition. Price, $500.

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1079

A HOUSE and two lots in Sangamon addition, containing two acres, at $2,000, cash.

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GOING EAST.

Passenger leaves .... 1,15 p m
Freight and Accommodation, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays .... 7,00 a m
Passenger from East arrives at Decatur .... 11,20 a m
Freight and Accommodation, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays .... 4,35 p m

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Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger .... 5 08 A M Sundays excepted
Freight .... 2 25 A M Mondays "
" .... 10 40 A M Sundays "
" .... 3 45 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger .... 7 42 P M Sundays excepted
Freight .... 8 50 A M " "
" .... 11 20 P M " "
" .... 3 25 P M " "

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☞ ***Close Connection** is also made at **Danville Junction for Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Louisville.***

***Pullman Sleeping Cars** are run between **St. Louis and Cleveland,** and **Quincy** and **Toledo,** without change.*

Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:
GOING WEST:

No. 1 Through Express .... 3 15 a. m
" 3 Fast Express .... 12 20 p. m
" 11 Accommodation .... 3 10 p. m
" 5 " .... 11 00 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express .... 11 10 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " .... 12 10 p. m
" 12 Accommodation .... 7 45 p m
" 6 " .... 9 00 a. m

PEKIN DIVISION:
DEPART:

No. 1 Accommodation .... 6 05 a. m
" 3 Mail .... 1 30 p. m

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Accommodation .... 9 00 p. m
" 4 Mail .... 11 15 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:
DEPART:

No. 1 Through Express .... 3 20 a. m
" 3 Fast Express .... 12 25 p. m
" 9 Accommodation .... 12 30 a. m
" 5 " .... 6 00 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Lightning Express .... 11 05 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " .... 11 30 a. m
" 10 Accommodation .... 4 25 a. m
" 6 " .... 6 15 p. m

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W. L. MALCOLM, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

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I. B. & W ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur			2 50 p m
Ar Monticello			4 40 "
" Champaign			6 20 "
" Chicago			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign	5 40 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
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Lv Decatur		12 00 m	11 20 p m
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Ar Danville		2 50 p m	1 20 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 20 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 40 a m	6 30 p m	6 10 a m
" Cincinnati	9 00 p m	12 10 a m	11 59 a m
" Dayton	5 45 p m		12 25 p m
" Columbus	11 45 p m		3 40 p m
" Zanesville	1 55 a m		7 00 p m
" Wheeling	5 45 a m		
" Washington			9 00 p m
" Baltimore	6 55 p m		6 30 p m
" Pittsburg	7 05 a m	11 45 a m	12 01 a m
" Harrisburg	3 25 p m	10 40 p m	11 55 a m
" Philadelphia	6 40 p m	2 50 a m	3 35 p m
" New York	9 25 p m	7 00 a m	6 45 p m
" Crestline		4 20 a m	
" Cleveland		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo		1 10 p m	
" Boston		8 30 a m	5 50 p m
" Louisville		11 25 p m	1 00 p m
" Nashville		7 35 a m	

No. 6 via T., W. & W. Ry. will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Pullman Palace Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars run on No. 6 from Champaign and Danville to Indianapolis.

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TIME TABLE.

TAKING EFFECT MAY 31st, 1874.

EAST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 1, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Decatur .... 8:30 a. m
Arrives at Terre Haute .... 1:25 p. m
" Indianapolis .... 4:15 "

No 3, Accommodation—
Leaves Decatur .... 3:45 p m
Arrives at Terre Haute .... 12:40 a. m
" Indianapolis .... 3:35 "

WEST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 2, Accommodation—
Leaves Terre Haute .... 6:30 a. m
Arrives at Decatur .... 3:00 p. m

No. 4, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Indianapolis .... 2:00 p. m
Leaves Terre Haute .... 5:20 "
Arrives at Decatur at .... 10:40 "

☞ These trains run into the Union Depot at Terre Haute.

THROUGH TICKETS via this line to all principal eastern and southern points can be obtained at the Illinois Central R. R. ticket office, and also at this Company's depot, Main street, Decatur.

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MAILS ARRIVE

From West, St. Louis and Pekin .... 11:30 A. M.
" East .... 12:30 P. M.
" Mattoon .... 1:00 "
" North .... 5:20 "
" South Paris, Chicago, & East of Lafayette .... 5:30 A. M.

MAILS CLOSE

For East .... 10:45 A. M.
" Paris at .... 11:00 "
" West, St. Louis .... 10:45 "
" Pekin .... 1:00 P. M.
" Chicago and Mattoon .... 2:30 P. M.
" South .... 4:30 "
" North & East .... 7:30 "

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

THE WIDOW'S PROTEST.

BY MARK TWAIN.

One of the saddest things that ever came under my notice (said the banker's clerk) was there in Corning during the war. Dan Murphy enlisted as a private, and fought very bravely. The boys all liked him, and when a wound, by and by, weakened him down till carrying a musket was too heavy work for him, they clubbed together and fixed him up as a sutler. He made money and always sent it to his wife to bank for him. She was a washer and ironer and knew enough by hard experience to keep money when she got it. She didn't waste a penny. On the contrary she began to get miserly as her bank account grew. She grieved to part with a cent, poor creature, for twice in her hard working life had she known what it was to be hungry, cold, friendless, sick, and without a dollar in the world, and she had a haunting dread of suffering so again. Well, at last Dan died; and the boys, in testimony of their esteem, and respect for him, telegraphed to Mrs. Murphy to know if she would like to have his body embalmed and sent home; when you know the usual custom was to dump a poor devil like him into a shallow hole and then inform his friends what had become of him. Mrs. Murphy jumped to the conclusion that it would only cost two or three dollars to embalm her dead husband, and she telegraphed "Yes." It was at the "wake" that the bill for embalming came, and was presented to the widow.

She uttered a sad, deep wail that pierced every heart, and said: "Sivinty-foive dollars for stooffin' Dan, blister their sowls! did thim divils suppose that I was goin' to start a museum, that I should be dailin' in such expinsive curriassities?"

The banker's clerk said that there was not a dry eye in the house.

HE SAW IT FINALLY.

Not long ago a fellow, apparently in a great state of excitement, rushed into a saloon in Virginia City, and, throwing his hat on the bar, he cried out to the bar-keeper: "Give me a drink, Dan, quick! There'll be the biggest row you ever saw in a few minutes!" Dan set out the whisky bottle, and while the stranger nervously filled his glass to the brim and drank it off at a swallow, tightened his belt and looked carefully at the chambers of his revolver. Leaving his hat where it was thrown, the excited stranger hurriedly ran to the door, looked out a moment and rushing back to the bar exclaimed: "Yes, in less than half a minute there 'll be an awful time here! Give me another drink quick!" The bottle was again set out, another glass was drained, and the stranger had picked up his hat, and was leisurely walking away, when the bar-keeper called to him: "Say, look here! What's all this about a row? You jest come back here and pay for them drinks or I'll let daylight into your hide!" At this the stranger turned about, his excitement entirely gone and coolly said: "There you go! Didn't I say there be a terrible row here in a minute! I knew it. There you go, just as I expected." By this time Dan saw the point, and quietly tumbled.

Bohemian's rendezvous: "Meet me by moonlight—a loan is all that I ask of thee."

Negro minstrelsy is said to be declining, probably because the grangers are down on middle men.

A Vermont debating club is now struggling with the question, "Which eats the most—chickens, ministers, or owls?"

"I'm not much on shtump-shpakin'," declared a candidate at Dubuque, "but for honesty, capacity an' integrity, I bate the divil, so I do."

An Illinois boy rubbed arsenic on his teeth so that he could bite his father in the leg when the old man hauled him over his knee.

"Spellin' book!" roared a Nevada man when approached by an agent. "No, sir; but if you've got any plug tobacco I guess we kin strike a trade."

A Virginia sheriff asked a murderer if he wanted to make a speech on the gallows, and the man replied: "Guess not; it looks like rain and I don't want to get wet; go on with the hanging."

Among the candidates for admission to West Point is one named Sauermilch, from Pennsylvania. Should he graduate he may do for frontier service, but he can never represent the cream of the army.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

We, the delegated representatives of the Republican party of Illinois, declare the following to be substantially our political belief:

1. That emancipation and enfranchisement having been secured by the Thirteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and by appropriate legislation for their enforcement; and equality of civil rights having been guaranteed by the Fourteenth Amendment, such guaranty should be enforced by appropriate statutes, so that the broad ægis of Federal power may be over black and white citizens alike.

2. That, as one of the consequences of the late civil war, about $382,000,000 of non-interest bearing Treasury notes were issued to, and are now held by, the people as a safe and convenient currency, it would be unwise and inexpedient, in the present financial condition of the people, to attempt the immediate cancellation of any portion of such Treasury notes.

3. That the laws for the establishment of national banks having secured to the States and Territories the best system of bank circulation ever before afforded the people, it should be no longer confined to a privileged class, but should be free to all alike, under general and equal laws, the aggregate volume of currency to be regulated by the untrammeled laws of trade.

4. That we re-affirm the declaration of the National Republican Convention of 1872, in favor of a return to specie payment at the earliest practicable day.

5. That we commend the measures which have passed the popular branch of Congress, looking to the cheapening and perfection of Inter-State railway transportation, and the improvement of navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi river.

6. That we are in favor of an amendment of the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of the President and Vice President by the direct vote of the people, without the intervention of the Electoral College.

7. That the Republican party proposes to respect the rights reserved by the people to themselves, as carefully as the powers delegated by them to the State and Federal Governments; and it will aim to secure the rights and privileges of the citizen without regard to nativity or creed; and it is opposed to interference by law with the habits, tastes or customs of individuals, except to suppress licentiousness or to preserve the peace and safety of the citizens of the State.

8. That while we accord to the railway companies of this State the fullest measure of property rights, we also demand for the people reasonable charges and rigid impartiality in the transportation of passengers and freight—such guaranty to be secured by appropriate State and National legislation.

Relying upon the foregoing declaration of principles and policy, and upon the broad, clear record of the Republican party during its fifteen years of State and Federal administration, we appeal once more to that silent yet conclusive tribunal, the ballot-box, confident that the people will endorse overwhelmingly the action of this representative Convention.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of John N. Demsey, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of July, A. D., 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

W. E. GOUGE,
May 26, 1874-d6w] Administrator.

Administrators' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Jacob Clark, Deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of July, A. D. 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

JOHN H. CLARK,
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June 25, 1874-dawtf.

EDWIN PARK,

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June 18, 1873—d3mos*

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office in Race's Building, west side New Square, Decatur, Ill. Dec. 13, 1873-dawtf.

B. I. Sterrett,

ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-dawtf

E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store, with Eden & Odor. [a23-dly

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.

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W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

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April 13, 1872-dwtf.

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OFFICE:—Over Abel & Locke's carpet store, No. 24 East Main street, (Dr. Aikman's old stand.)
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April 21, 1874—d6m*.

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For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM B. POWELL,
Of Kane.

HON. EUGENE HALE.

The new postmaster general is almost a stranger to the people of the West, and as everything concerning him is of interest we copy the following somewhat flattering notice of him from the Washington correspondence of the Chicago *Tribune*:

"Quite a light weight, physically, he is square headed, intrepid, a good debator, a discreet actor and observer; and he has kept his place in Congress without arts or violence. Mr. Blaine has always taken very kindly to him; and his promotion to the Cabinet suggests to me an idea which will bear keeping in mind.

"Is not this appointment indicative of the probability that Grant means to support Blaine for the succession of himself? Confirmations of this idea are not wanting. The *entente cordial* between Blaine and Grant has never been more observable. The Speaker has been careful, although a free talker, never to speak to any one to Grant's disadvantage; and, on his second nomination, was behind none in diligence to have him re-elected. Nor is there any person, liable to nomination, more in the line of Grant's natural selection. Blaine is cordial, polite, young, vigorous, handsome, and magisterial. His mental and social qualifications, quick apprehension, and habits of reflection, establish him as sound and safe. Safety and popularity are the two touchstone qualities. It looks to me very much as if he were drifting along to be the regular Republican candidate, without any backset from the White House. If you look further, you may find also, that Hale's vacation of his seat in Congress leaves Blaine a district for a friend to control in the State of Maine.

Eugene Hale is a college man, of a silent and modest exterior, agreeable to converse with, a little prim, and not much given to humor or leisurely society. He looks a trifle like a young Congregational pastor. He has fine, dark eyes, light brown hair, and, I think, goatee, a square-set but small body, stature below the average, and a cool, discerning eye and mind. His confidence belies his quiet appearance. He has been married about two years, to the only daughter of the wealthy Michigan Senator, Chandler, and has one child.

THIRD TERM FOLLY.—The staid, reliable Boston *Journal* has put its foot on the neck of the third term business, so far as New England is concerned. It says: "The time may come when every Republican convention should speak out on the question. It is better to run the risk even of needless expression than, by silence, to encourage delusions which may be exerting a pernicious effect on the public service and the public welfare to crop out hereafter with disastrous results to the Union. For New England we can speak with confidence. Under no political exigency conceivable as likely to arise before the year 1876, will the Republicans of these six States vote, either in convention or at the polls, for the re-election of President Grant."

"GATH," the Washington correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune*, is not remarkable for his love towards the Republican party, but in his letter of the 25th he is constrained to make the following statement:

Congress adjourned with prospects, on the whole, reassuring to the Republican organization, and there were felicitations all round, which Sammy Cox made but a feeble effort to burlesque. The currency question was neatly dodged. The Executive end of the Government had at last begun to reorganize the Cabinet. And more Democrats go home to throw up the sponge that Republicans.

THE editor of the Darke county (O.) *Democrat* has a queer notion of what constitutes "a flattering letter." He prints in his last issue a letter from the Hon. Thomas Ewing, in reference to some aspersion upon him by a rival paper, in which Mr. Ewing says: "Being willing to save interviewers the trouble of a visit to Lancaster, I volunteer the statement that, *except a habit of intemperance which marred your influence during part of your residence here*, I neither know nor have heard or said aught in disparagement of your character and influence as a man or a citizen while you lived here or since." The editor of the *Democrat* pronounces this a flattering letter from "the great American statesman," and crushes his rival by printing it, adding: "We may proudly rest and let the base, lying scoundrels howl to their hearts' content"!!

A full line of cloths, cassimeres and vestings, latest styles, at Race's. 2 d-tf.

THE NEW POST OFFICE.

"The most Compact and Convenient in the State"—A Description of the Interior Arrangements.

The convenience and importance of our present postal system can be only fully appreciated by those hoary-headed veterans who remember the days of the slow coach or uncertain post rider with their scanty mails, when it was a misfortune to have many friends, owing to the heavy expense of receiving their letters. A well conducted modern post office cannot be too highly valued. The finest one in the state is located at Cairo, in a private building, as are also the ones at Peoria and Quincy. Springfield, with its state patronage, enjoys a government building large enough for a city of $50,000; but we hardly think that Springfield will need to tax it to the capacity of so large a population at a very early day. The Decatur post office can accommodate a city of 22,000, and is said by Capt. Kanan, special agent of the P. O. Department, to be the most compact and convenient in the state.

Steps were first taken to secure the removal of the office last winter, when A. H. Markland, special agent of the Department and inspector of post office buildings, visited the office in this city and condemned it on account of the store which occupied part of the building. Learning this a number of gentlemen of this city sent a written proposition to the Post Office Department, which was referred to Mr. U. R. Hawley, of Chicago, special agent of the Department, who came down to Decatur and looked at the site. Mr. Powers also made a proposition exactly similar to that of the other gentlemen, to erect a two story building south of his block on Water street; but it was rejected, as the removal of the office had already been determined on.

The new office is 32x65 feet in dimension, with a ceiling 16 feet in the clear, forming a spacious, well lighted room.—The enclosure occupies the centre of the office, and is entirely separated from the outside by glass cases, which extend to the ceiling. There are 1500 call boxes, an addition of 700. This is a larger number than is at present demanded, but they are required by the rapid growth of our flourishing city. 452 Yale lock boxes and drawers, manufactured by the Yale Lock Company of Stamford, Conn., have been introduced at an expense of $1066. They are of a handsome pattern, and present a nice appearance. They rent for $2.00 per annum. There are also old-fashioned wooden drawers. The boxes are narrower than those formerly used, letters placed in them resting in a perpendicular or diagonal position, thus preventing their becoming soiled. The delivery windows are four in number, with a general delivery, which occupies the front end of the enclosure—a very convenient arrangement. One of the nicest features of the office is the money order and business department. It has an elaborate counter and window, and was manufactured by Lintner & Co., of this city. In the northwest corner of the office is a fire-proof vault, with walls two feet thick, and 6x6 feet in the interior; it is surrounded by air chambers. The arrangements for lighting and heating the building are such as to afford an abundance of both to those within the enclosure and a merely necessary amount without, which, it is hoped, will operate to the discouragement of those professional loafers who are the eye-sores of almost every such institution.

The office will be moved to-night.

The building is owned by a joint stock company, of which Messrs. J. R. Miller, Peter Wykoff and Dan Brenneman are trustees. It is leased to the government for ten years—from July 1, 1874, to July 1, 1881.

The carpenter work in the post office was done by Mr. Harry and the painting by M. A. Myer, who is now executing a handsome sign to hang over the general delivery office.

THE SMITH SISTERS AGAIN

DECATUR, June 29, 1874.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—In your paper of to-day is an article expressing sentiments in regard to the far-famed Smith sisters of Connecticut, which are in the estimation of one, and it is to be hoped of many of your readers, both unjust and erroneous. Should those noble women become reduced to such a destitute condition as intimated in the article referred to, they are possessed of the spirit of seventy-six in such a degree as would enable them to prepare their own apparel, though it be of a coarser quality than calico; and also to "support" themselves instead of encumbering so *small* a State with so great a burden.

The oft repeated advice, "you should get married," if acted upon would be ineffectual, as in Connecticut a married woman can retain and control property belonging to her before marriage; besides, among all the would-be "lords of creation" residing in the law-enforcing State of Connecticut, or any other State, could there be found one man who would entertain such an idea? Not one. Such notorious "feminine obstinacy" would be an objection too formidable to be overcome.

Feminine obstinacy! Was it masculine obstinacy that burst the fetters with which the people of these United States were bound one hundred years ago? No; *it was the love of freedom*, and it is that same love of *human* freedom, that same belief, as true now as then, that "taxation without representation is tyranny," that causes those heroic women to hold fast to their principles of right and justice, though every dollar's worth of their property be sold to satisfy the demands of the *law*. Here is a letter written by one of Massachusetts' prominent men to one of the sisters:

NEAR BOSTON, Jan. 14, 1874.

MY DEAR MADAM:—The account of your hardships is interesting, and your action will be highly beneficial in bringing the subject to private notice, and in leading to the correction of a great injustice. The taxation of the property of women without allowing them any representation, even in town affairs, is so unfair that it seems only necessary to bring it to public view to make it odious and to bring about a change. Therefore, you deserve the greatest honor, not only because you have suffered in a good cause, but because you have set an example that will be followed and that will lead to happy results. Your case has its parallel in every township in New England. In the town where this is written, a widow pays into the town treasury $7,830 a year, while 600 men, a number equal to half the whole number of voters, pay $1,200 in all. Another lady pays $5,042. Yet neither has a single vote, not even by proxy. That is, each one of 600 men who have no property, who pay only a poll tax, and many of whom cannot read or write, have the power of voting away the property of the town, while the female *owners* have no power at all. We have lately spent a day in celebrating the heroism of those who threw overboard the tea. But how trifling was the tea tax, and how small the injustice to individuals, compared with this one of our day! The principle, however, was the same—that there should be no taxation where there is no representation. And this is what we ought to stand by.

Please accept the sympathy and respect of one of your fellow-citizens. No doubt you will have it from all in due time; or, at any rate, from all who love to see fair play.

Very truly yours,
AMOS A. LAWRENCE.

The above would seem to indicate that these women are *not* "without sympathy." And words from the lips and pens of other persons of note give the same impression.

FAIR PLAY.

OUR FIERY VISITOR.

For the last week or two, the people of this Western world have been straining their vision and elongating their necks in the vain effort to get a glimpse of the comet of Coggia, the last discovered of those millions of similar bodies which are as numerous in the heavens as fish in the sea. The search for the comet is now more one of curiosity than of the fascination of fear. These flaming phenomena, which in the minds of our forefathers were precursors of famine, pestilence and war—a warning of the Divine displeasure in store for the children of the earth—are to modern men of science, which means everybody, mere things of air—insubstantial and baseless—and which, like the poet's dream, might dissolve without leaving a wreck behind.

The comet which is now rapidly approaching the earth was discovered on the 17th of April last by M. Coggia, of Marseilles. It was first seen in this country on the 30th day of May, by Mr. S. W. Burnham, of the Chicago Observatory. It was then in the constellation of the Giraffe, within twenty-one degrees of the North Pole. It was moving in right ascension about one and a half minutes per twenty-four hours, and its declination was diminishing by about fifty minutes of an arc in the same interval. It showed a tail extending toward the northeast about twelve minutes in length, which was gradually becoming lighter, and almost visible to the naked eye. The New York *Times* of recent date furnishes the most copious and accurate information yet given to this continent concerning it. The comet is now visible to the naked eye, and is situated, at one o'clock in the morning, directly beneath the polar star, at a distance from it of about 25 degrees, or about half way between it and the horizon. With the aid of an opera glass it can be easily seen as a hazy, nebulous mass, with a bright point on one side. It is at present moving toward the earth, and is now visible all night, but will soon be visible only in the early part of the evening, setting in the northwest. It will be the brightest on the evening of August 3rd, when it will be 245 times as bright as at the time of discovery, while at present it is only about six times as luminous.

From this it will be seen that in a few weeks we will have an interesting spectacle on free exhibition in the northern heavens. Nobody, however, need be alarmed in consequence.

The Philadelphia *Press* says: Whether the nuclei and comets be solid or not, it is certain their surroundings are not, and even if the nuclei are their masses must be very slight, since, no matter how close they have approached the planets, they have had no effect upon their motions. It may not be generally known, but it is a fact that the world has actually struck a comet—or passed through it—something dreaded only forty years ago.—This took place November 27, 1872, when the earth passed through the train of Biela's comet, cutting for itself a pathway 250,000 miles long and 8,000 miles in diameter. The only effect was the severe meteoric showers, which fell with more or less force in every part of the world.

For Rent.—A dwelling house, with seven rooms, in good repair. Enquire of F. Priest at Priest's Hotel.
May 29dtf F. PRIEST.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.
[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

A Congressman on the War Path.

EPIDEMIC AT CLINTON.

The Prohibition Clans at Bloomington.

TORNADO NEAR SPRINGFIELD

Condition of the Pope.

SPRINGFIELD, June 20.—A special to the *State Journal* from Nilwood, twenty-five miles south of here, says that a vast amount damage was done there by the storm last night. A car standing on the C. and A. side track was blown 200 yards, and thrown off the track, large trees were blown down, and after examination this morning it is stated that half the wheat crop is ruined, nearly all that had not been saved. Similar reports are being received from Auburn and other points. Destruction between here and St. Louis very great.

The storm at this point was almost a tornado, which done some damage in the blowing down of trees, awnings, &c. Just prior to the rising of the wind was witnessed the grandest spectacle: a sunset of wondrous brilliancy, the magnificence of which is indescribable.

TUSCUMBIA, Ala., June 28.—The Hon. Joseph H. Sloss, member of Congress from this district, reached home Friday. He heard that Geo. F. Long was assailing the character of his daughter. Sloss had instructed the girl to avoid intercourse with Long, who declared her criminal. Sloss, hearing this from several sources went this afternoon to a room on the second floor above Warren's store, and waited for Long, who soon came by on the opposite side of the street, 100 feet distant. Sloss fired both barrels of a shot-gun, lodging thirteen buckshot in the wall and four in Long's body, one through the neck, one in the skull behind the ear, and two in the abdomen. This afternoon at 6:30 o'clock Long was supposed to be dying. Sloss surrendered himself to the Sheriff, confessing that he did the deed. Long first thought Warren shot him, and when told that Sloss did it, said, "That's all right."

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., June 29.—Crops are fearfully in need of rain just now in this locality. Corn is rolling badly, and should the present dry spell continue much longer many fields will give a small yield.

The Prohibition State Convention will commence its session to-morrow in this city. A large number of delegates are already in attendance, and the indications are that the convention will be very largely attended.

CLINTON, ILL., June 29, 1874.—In a great many places near this city, diphtheria has assumed an epidemic form, and whole families at one time have been stricken down by this terrible disease. A. C. Bennett had ten members of his family sick at one time, and three of them have died. James Gibson, Esq., has lost four members of his family, and others in the same proportion. The people are becoming alarmed at the spread of this disease, and every precaution is being used to check it on its appearance.

LONDON, June 29.—Russian papers received contain reports of very destructive fires at Berditchen, in Volhynia, inhabited mostly by Jews. One day six hundred houses were burned, and the next day nearly as many more were destroyed. The two succeeding days the town was again visited by fires and whole streets were laid in ashes.—Thousands of persons are homeless.

LONDON, June 29.—The correspondent of the *Daily News* telegraphs from Rome that the Pope is growing weaker daily, and several foreign representatives have notified their government to that effect.

TOM MOORE, of Hamilton county, O., was mentioned by a paper of another district, The Columbus *Journal*, as an aspirant for Congress, whereupon Tom got mad and wrote the following:

"SIR—If you will be kind enough to attend to your own business and the political interests of your own district, and let the politics of the third alone, you will have as much as you can attend to between drinks. TOM MOORE."

Wedding Suits made to order at Race's. 2 d tf.

Special Notice.—I take this method to announce to the public that I have now on hand a very superior assortment of boots and shoes that cannot be excelled in style, or in price and quality, consisting of Ladies' French Kid, button, side lace, low vamp, handsomely stitched—just the thing to please and fit perfectly. Also, Men's Gaiters, low shoes, a full line of Burt's hand made goods, all kinds of children's colored shoes, button and lace.—Call in and examine my stock.
apr 24 dtf. G. F. WESSELS

Call and see the latest styles of Hats at J. R. Race & Co.'s. 2-ltf

Coal, Cheap.—Fred. Smith sells coal for four dollars per ton, delivered. 20-dtf

SHE COULDN'T KEEP IT.

"I should think you would be ashamed of yourself, Emily," exclaimed Aunt Fanny to me one bright morning not long since.

"The idea of your going to a circus, why, I wouldn't be seen inside such a place."

"And why not, pray, Auntie, dear? Is there anything so terrible in visiting a well conducted Menagerie and Circus, with a gentleman escort, I should like to know?"

"Well conducted fiddle-sticks, I say.—There ain't but one well-conducted menagerie and circus that ever I saw, and it is the only one that I would give a snap of my finger to see again."

"Why, Aunt Fanny, I'm astonished to hear you speak in favor of anybody connected with a show. For goodness sake do tell me who the unfortunate showman is that would receive your fifty-cents were he ever to cross your path."

"None other than old John Robinson; he always has the best show of them all."

"Ha, ha, Aunt Fan, that's too good news for [illegible] one day; just as if you could stay away from Old John Robinson's Big Show when everybody in town is going."

"Why, Emily, what do you mean?"

"Nothing, Auntie; only as I came from the postoffice I noticed the agents covering all the bill boards in town with beautifully colored show bills, announcing the coming of Old John Robinson and his Big Show to Decatur on Saturday next, the Fourth of July."

"Emily, don't you think if I should ask Charley [illegible] to dinner on Saturday, and in the meantime send over and buy three tickets, that he would escort us to the Circus and Menagerie in the afternoon and evening."

"I don't know, I'm sure, Auntie, how that will be, but one thing I do know, Charley found out that Old John was coming, and asked me last night, and I promised him I would go, but he never mentioned your name in connection with going to a circus, Auntie."

"Well, Emily, John Robinson has an exhibition that no lady need hesitate, for a moment, without the company of a gentleman, and as I think I am able to look out for myself I am going anyhow, just to shake hands with Uncle John."

Don't forget the glorious Fourth and Old John Robinson's Grand Museum, Menagerie and Circus.

Removal.—On the first of July Dr. P. B. Sparks will remove his office to the second story room over the new post office, where he may be found at all hours when not professionally engaged.
25-1w*

Ladies' Corsets, at S. Einstein's.

Just Received, by V. Barber & Co., a large invoice of boots and shoes direct from Eastern manufactories, comprising all the latest styles for men, women and children's wear. Persons wanting goods in their line will save money by calling at this house. All goods are marked down to the lowest figure. d&w1w

For Sale at a Bargain.—I offer my stock of groceries at cost and carriage, less 5 per cent. Also, a bakery in connection. Building can be leased or bought low, and the stand has a good run of business. For particulars apply to
F. McGARVER,
jun25-d&w1m Cerro Gordo, Ill.

Clothing of all kinds made to order at Race's. 2-dtf.

Ladies' Fine Shoes—*Burt make* just received at Wessel's. The latest style of French Kid button, side lace shoes,—just the article that will please and fit. Call and examine. 8-dtf.

Latest Style Silk Hats, for *$5*, at Race's. 2-3tf

Half-fare Rates for the Fourth.—The I. [illegible] C. Railway will carry passengers from all stations on the line at half fare, on the 4th of July. Trains arrive in the city at 11:30 a. m. and at 7:40 p. m. and will leave at 8 a. m. and 4 p. m.
j21dawtd GEO. [illegible], Ag't.

Return Tickets to the West.—The Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad are selling first-class tickets to Kansas City and Atchison and return for $18.00. These tickets are good on any passenger train for thirty days from date of sale.
K. HARWOOD,
jun4-d4w Ticket Agent.

Light Spring Suits at Race's 2 d-tf

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, June 30, 1874.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.10
" White "	1.30
FLOUR—white wheat, ℘ hundred	4.50
" "	4.00
" superfine,	3.75
" middlings,	2.00
CORN MEAL—℘ bushel	80
RYE—℘ bushel	,60
CORN—℘ bushel	45@50
" shelled, per bush	60
HAY—Timothy, ℘ ton,	12.00
OATS—℘ bushel,	38@40
FLAXSEED—℘ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℘ bushel	3.25
CLOVER SEED—	6.50
BLUE GRASS "	1.50
ORCHARD GRASS, "	2.50
REDTOP	2.50
HUNGARIAN	1.50
BEANS—℘ bushel	2.75
BUTTER	15@20
EGGS	7@8
LARD	7@9
BACON—Sides,	8@9
HAMS—Sugar-cured,	12
SHOULDERS—per ℔	7
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	4,75@5.00
CATTLE— " "	3,25@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—per bu	2,00
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	12½
APPLES—	10
" Green ℘ bar	5.00a5.50
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	25@30
Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" fine & heavy	30@35
Tubwashed, choice	45
" inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ℘ ℔	.04
" Salted cured,	6@.6½
" Calf,	8@9
" Dry salt,	10
" Dry Flint	12
SHEEP PELTS—	40@60
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℘ ℔	,50@,55
" Common, ℘ ℔	,25@,40
TALLOW—Cake	5
" Barrel	5½

GOLDEN CHANCE.

We have put twelve hundred pair of Ladies' Cloth Shoes, of number one quality, in the retail store for sale at $2 a pair, that have never been sold at less than $3 since before the war. Every pair is warranted.
POWERS, FERRISS & CO.

P. S.—Men's Cloth Boots at from $2.25 to $2.75 a pair. [may15 dtf.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

Brick for Sale.—I have a kiln of brick now ready to open.
m30-dtf.] H. M. WHITMER.

The "Duke Alexis Shoe," made with buckle, fancy extension, box toe, which received the silver medal at the World's Fair at Vienna, 1873, is all the rage just now. You can find them only at Wessel's. [Apr 24,dtf

A New Tailor Shop.—Mr. Edward J. Foote has opened a tailor shop in Martin Forstmyer's old dwelling at the corner of West Main and Church streets, where he will attend promptly to all work in his line. Mr. Foote holds a diploma from the Glenn, Cross & Co. school of cutters, and warrants perfect fits. Gentlemen's garments cleaned and repaired in the French style. June 18 d1m

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [Sept1 d1m

The Question Answered—"How Linn & Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods cheap." They keep the largest stock of dry goods in Decatur—they retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, according to population, and their expenses are *less* in proportion to sales. Besides they are thus enabled to buy most of their goods of first hands and by the Case and Package, which gives them great advantage over small dealers. jun 2-d&w1y

Spring Hats, latest styles, at Marble Hall 2-dtf

Sin is very much the offspring of physical ill-health and feeble stomachs.—During one-third of our time the processes of digestion must go on in our bodies, and if the stomach and bowels are not well, nothing is well. To be dyspeptic is to be miserable; moreover, dyspepsia is the foundation of fevers and diseases of the blood, liver, skin, and kidneys. Dyspepsia invariably yields to the virtues of the vegetable ingredients contained in that great purifyer of the blood and restorer of health, DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS. d&w1w

New Advertisements.

Fourth of July!

CELEBRATION!

The Irish Benevolent Society,

OF DECATUR,

Will give a GRAND PIC-NIC, on the 4th of July, at the

FAIR GROUND!

One of the Grandest Celebrations of the Glorious old Fourth that has been in Decatur for a good many years, may be expected. Neither time nor expense will be spared to make it one of the grandest affairs of the season.

COME ONE, COME ALL

And see the Grand Turnout.

There will be amusements of every kind on the picnic grounds. A greased pole will be erected, on the top of which will be placed a Five Dollar Bill, for the person who climbs high enough to get it. Chasing the greased pig—the person who catches him and holds him shall have him. Racing in sacks, for a purse; slow mule racing, for a purse; foot racing, backwards and forwards, for a purse; wheeling a wheelbarrow at a post, blindfolded, for a purse; etc., etc.

Swings for the little ones, swings for the big ones, and string music, in the afternoon, for those that wish to shake their feet and exhibit their skill on the "light fantastic toe."

Speeches will be delivered by prominent gentlemen. The Declaration of Independence will also be read.

REFRESHMENTS

Of all kinds can be had at the Grounds.

Admission, - - 25 Cts.
Children, - - - Free.
June 23-d10t.

ONLY A FEW LEFT!

REFRIGERATORS

AT COST.

Self-Sealing Fruit Jars

Quarts, - - $2 per Doz.
Half Gallons, - 3 "

WATER COOLERS, $3

☞ CALL EARLY AND BUY. ☜

Other Goods Just as Cheap,

AT LIDDLE'S,

SOUTH SIDE NEW SQUARE.

June 18, 1874-dtf.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Macon county Circuit Court, August term, 1874.

MABLE FLOREY, }
vs. }
ALBERT FLOREY. }

The said Albert Florey is hereby notified that Mable Florey has filed her bill for Divorce against him in the said court, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county and state, on the

3rd Day of August,

next, when and where you, the defendant, are required to appear and demur, plead or answer, or the said bill will be taken for confessed and a decree entered accordingly.
June 22, 1874.
E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of said court.
MABLE FLOREY.
June 24, 1874-d6w.

New Advertisements.

VINEGAR BITTERS
PURELY VEGETABLE FREE FROM ALCOHOL
DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA
EUREKA
VINEGAR BITTERS

No Person can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and vital organs wasted beyond the point of repair.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the regions of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offsprings of Dyspepsia. One bottle will prove a better guarantee of its merits than a lengthy advertisement.

For Female Complaints, in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood, or the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters display so decided an influence that improvement is soon perceptible.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these Bitters have no equal. Such Diseases are caused by Vitiated Blood.

They are a gentle Purgative as well as a Tonic, possessing the merit of acting as a powerful agent in relieving Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver and Visceral Organs, and in Bilious Diseases.

For Skin Diseases, Eruptions, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Carbuncles, Ring-worms, Scald-Head, Sore Eyes, Erysipelas, Itch, Scurfs, Discolorations of the Skin, Humors and Diseases of the Skin of whatever name or nature, are literally dug up and carried out of the system in a short time by the use of these Bitters.

Grateful Thousands proclaim VINEGAR BITTERS the most wonderful Invigorant that ever sustained the sinking system.

R. H. McDONALD & CO.
Druggists and Gen. Agts., San Francisco, Cal., & cor. of Washington and Charlton Sts., N. Y.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS & DEALERS.
June 26, 1874-dawly.

J. H. LEWIS & CO.

BLATCHLEY'S
HORIZONTAL
Ice Cream Freezer
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FOR SALE.—All the furniture of my residence, both parlor and kitchen, all being first-class. Enquire at the premises, No. 24 Merchant street. BEN. F. DODSON.

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TAKE NOTICE!

SPECIAL.—All persons indebted to the undersigned will confer a favor by calling and settling the same immediately, as I intend to quit business.
BEN. F. DODSON, 14 Merchant-st.
May 16, 1874-d.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the August term, A. D. 1874,

John G. Jemmison, *vs.* Charles Birmingham, David Bennett, and James Millikin and Jerome R. Gorin, partners as J. Millikin & Co.

CHANCERY.

Public notice is hereby given to the above named defendant, David Bennett, that the above named complainant, John G. Jemmison, has heretofore filed his certain bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, against the above named defendants; and that a summons has issued thereon against you, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon aforesaid, where said cause is now pending, on the first Monday of August, A. D. 1874, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said David Bennett, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in the said city of Decatur and county of Macon, commencing on the

First Monday of August,

being the third day of said month, A. D. 1874, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained will be taken as confessed by you, and a decree entered in said cause in conformity to the prayer of said bill.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CREA & EWING, Sol's for Compl't.
June 23, 1874-d4w.

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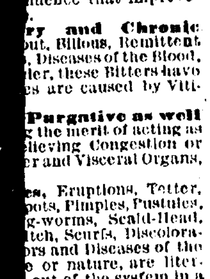

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
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Another lot of Striped and Plain Iron Frame **Grenadines,** all prices.

Lace Sacques, Talmas, Scarfs and Points.

More Embroideries and **White Goods.**

Another lot of ALL SILK Plain and Gros Grain **Ribbons** at 25 cents; also, 50 pieces elegant All-Silk **Sash Ribbons,** and another large lot of **Parasols.**

A full assortment of **Ladies' Underwear,** at less price than material and making will cost.

All-Linen Handkerchiefs at 5 cents and upwards.

The best assortment of **Corsets** ever shown in the city; (see our **Corset for $1.**)

Table Linens, Towels and Napkins lower than ever.

A few Linen Suits left—will close out Cheap.

☞ **COME AND SEE THEM.**

June 1, 1874-dawtf.

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S. EINSTEIN,

No. 21 North Water-St.,

Is daily receiving his New Stock of Spring and Summer Goods, consisting of a full line of DRESS GOODS, CASSIMERES, CLOTH of every description, DOMESTICS, &c. A Complete Assortment of NOTIONS and GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

☞ **GIVE HIM A CALL.**

Decatur, March 21, 1874-dtf

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OF ALL KINDS,

As Cheap as the Cheapest

July 14.—d&wtf

SMITH & CLOKEY, Attorneys.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, to the August term, A. D. 1874.

Affidavit of the non-residence of George W. Kanaday, defendant, and that his place of residence is Havilandsville, Harrison county, Kentucky, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court, notice is therefore hereby given to the said George W. Kanaday, that Cincinnatus W. Morrison and James W. Patton, partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Morrison & Patton, heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, wherein the said George W. Kanaday, is made defendant; and that a summons theretofore issued out of said court against the said defendant, returnable on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1874, as is required by law; and was returned to said May term of said court "not found" as to said defendant; that at said May term said cause was continued to said August term, A. D. 1874.

Now, unless you, the said George W. Kanaday, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein alleged and charged against you, will be taken as confessed by you, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

SMITH & CLOKEY, Sol's for Compl't.
June 23, 1874-d4w.

SMITH & CLOKEY, Att'ys at Law.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, to the August term, A. D. 1874.

Nancy E. Cross, John Cross, Mary E. Golden and John Golden, vs. George W. Rodgers, James M. Rodgers, Francis M. Rodgers, Martha J. Rodgers, and Clara Rodgers.

IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Clara Rodgers, one of said defendants, and that her place of residence is at Rob Roy, county of Jefferson and state of Arkansas, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said circuit court, notice is hereby given to the above named said Clara Rodgers, that the above named complainants heretofore filed their certain bill of complaint, or petition, in said court, on the chancery side thereof, entitled, and wherein are parties complainant and defendant, as above; and that summons therefore issued out of said court against the said Clara Rodgers, returnable on the second Monday of May, A. D. 187 , as is required by law, and was returned to said May term, not found, as to said defendant; that at said May term said cause was continued to the then next succeeding, to-wit: to said August term, A. D. 1874, of said court.

Now, unless you, the said Clara Rodgers, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

and plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, or petition, the same, and the matters and things therein alleged and charged against you, will be taken as confessed by you, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill or petition.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

SMITH & CLOKEY, Sol's for Compl'ts.
June 23, 1874-d1w.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, June 30.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

☞ Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

☞ We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Be On Time.—The first M. E. Sabbath School excursion to Champaign and Urbana will start from the depot of the I., B. & W. R. R., north of the woolen factory, at 7:30 a. m., to-morrow. Remember that "time and railway trains wait for no man," or woman, either; so if you don't want to be left, you had better look a little out, and be on hand promptly.

Those having baskets to take with them should leave them at the church at 7 o'clock, from which they will be taken to the depot and placed in the baggage car.

Rev. J. H. Noble writes to-day from Champaign that arrangements are complete at that point, and that all who attend will be cordially welcomed.

...."No, darling, I ain't!"

...Fresh fruits of all kinds, at Ullrich's.

...Blackberries are in market. 20 cents a box.

...The romantic dog-fennel is in full bloom.

...Fresh canned mackerel at A. H. Imboden's.

...Mrs. Steinbach was buried yesterday. The funeral took place from the house on West North street.

...There is something extremely touching in the sublime constancy of innocent lovers.

...Choice sugar for canning purposes, at Jack & Son's.

...Gastman's bees believe in personal liberty; they swarmed on Sunday.

...If you want your children to look neat, send them to Young & Norman's and have their hair cut.

...If you want cheap dress goods, Einstein's is the place. 29-d1w

...The White Line Transportation Company has commenced cutting down eastern rates.

...Railroads running into the city have all announced excursion rates for the 4th.

...The prescriptions compounded by W. C. Armstong may be implicitly relied on as correct. "Clint" understands his business.

...Little Petty Buckingham, daughter of I. A. Buckingham, Esq., stepped through the iron grating this morning, over a basement window in Hammer & Co.'s bank building, and was quite badly hurt, bruising her knee considerably. Fortunately no bones were broken.

...A large furnace, of the most approved pattern, was unloaded in front of Close & Griswold's store yesterday. It is for Mr. J. L. Fenton's new residence.

...Mr. Louie Farner, who formerly kept a beer saloon on Franklin street, which he closed about a month since, will open a restaurant at his old stand, on July 1st. A grand free lunch will be served, with turtle soup and other delicacies to tempt the appetite of the free lunch fiend. Soda pop, ginger beer and other innocent drinks will be kept for sale.

...The latest styles of glass and queensware, at Pratt & Sons.

...The oil mill has shut down for general repairs. It will resume on the 15th of next month. Mr. David Moffet is laying a heavy foundation wall for a platform, along the south side of the building, on which to roll casks, etc.

...Mr. Bering is expected to arrive here this week, to make the preliminary arrangements for sinking that long talked of coal shaft. There is to be no mistake about it this time.

...The dwellers along East Wood street, from Water street eastward, will soon rejoice in the luxury of an abundance of water. Workmen are now engaged in laying the mains.

...Samuels & Co. are now occupying the whole lower floor of their building, with a complete stock of groceries. Call and see. [jun13-dtf

...The boys and girls who have been off at school are flocking to their homes now to spend the summer vacation. We noticed on the street yesterday Miss Ida Jones, who has just returned from Lake Forest Seminary, and Mr. Charles Barnes, who has been filling his head with useful knowledge, at Philips Academy, Andover, Mass. Harry Crea returned from Evanston a few days ago, and others are coming.

...Uncle Jimmy Smith, the superannuated old peddler, who may be seen ambling along the street with a peculiarly ancient and dignified carriage, and a tin box suspended over his shoulder from a hickory stick, was yesterday interviewed by a REPUBLICAN reporter, to whom he displayed his stock in trade under the [illegible] that he had found a rich customer. It consisted of buttons, cheap laces, skeins of sewing silk, and various other similar articles usual to the trade. Uncle Jimmy is 73 years old, and has lived in Decatur about ten years, during which time he and his tin box have been constant companions and regular visitors to every quiet, unsuspecting house in the city. Uncle Jimmy and his wife, whom he married in Louisiana, the scene of Mrs. Hathaway's novel, reside in a lone dwelling in the southwestern part of town. He is a veteran of the Mexican war, and has participated in many hard-fought battles.

...Uncle Joe Long was in town yesterday. If our memory is not at fault he mentioned something about corn, and told of some he has that has reached the altitude of seven feet. Uncle Joe is just as interesting a conversationalist as he was fifteen or twenty years ago, if not more so.

...Go to Niedermyer's for tea and coffee.

The best place to buy fruit jars is at Pratt & Sons. Go and see for yourself.

Elegant Turn-outs.—No more pleasant enjoyment can be found, after sweltering under the torrid sun of a long, sultry midsummer day, than driving out in the cool evening behind a span of lively steppers, that fairly make the spokes fly. Among the fine rigs soon to be on the road is a nobby, gold mounted piano box, for Mr. Ezra Aungst, with which he will celebrate the Fourth. It was manufactured at the shop of the Wayne Bros. and cost $300.

Mr. John Shellabarger has a splendid C spring phæton, a very beautiful style, gold-mounted, with side lamps. It will appear on the Fourth, and is the finest turnout in the city. It was also manufactured by Wayne Bros., and cost $350.

Farmer Kern drives out after the agricultural labors of the day in a "piano-box" from the establishment of Kramer & McClelland. It cost $300, and is a very neat affair. The farmer has sold his ox-cart.

If you you want nice Cassimeres, go to S. Einstein's. 29-d1w

'76. "HEADQUARTERS" '76.
Fourth of July Fire Works,
For sale at
MILLER'S.
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To-Morrow.—We are requested to announce that the *Magnet and Tribune* will be issued to-morrow morning.

Miss Marie Von Elsner, who is well-known to many of our citizens, gave a concert at Bloomington last evening.—We clip the following concerning her from the *Pantagraph* of yesterday:

Miss Von Elsner has signed a contract with Prof. Undener, of Cleveland, Ohio, by which she is to go to Europe at once for a stay of two years, under the instruction of the finest teachers, after which she is to return to America to go upon the stage as a prima donna for a period of five years, dividing evenly with the Professor the earnings of that time. Hence this must positively be the last appearance of Miss Marie in this city.

New arrival of this year's fish, of all kinds, at Pratt & Sons'. Warranted fresh.

S. Einstein has a large lot of white goods, which he will close out very cheap. 29-d1w

Grand Fourth of July Excursion.—The Harris Hose Co. No. 3 have made arrangements for a grand excursion to Quincy and St. Louis, leaving Decatur at noon on July 2d, tickets good till July 6th. The excursionists will go by rail to Quincy, and thence by boat to St. Louis, arriving in time to see the grand illumination on the evening of the third, and the fire-works from the new bridge on the evening of the fourth. Any persons wishing to join the excursion are cordially invited to do so, and are requested to report as early as possible to W. R. Samuel, Secretary of the Company, so that the road may have opportunity to provide cars for all who may wish to go. Tickets for the round trip will not exceed $7, and may be purchased at the ticket office on the day of starting.

June 27-d4t.

Another Marble Shop in Decatur.—We understand that Mr. Dempsey, late of the firm of Strohm & Dempsey, is to start a marble shop and stone yard in our city in a few weeks. Mr. Dempsey has been connected with the marble business in Decatur for a number of years; he was foreman in the Decatur Marble Works for five or six years prior to his having an interest in the business. He is a good workman and understands the business in every detail. We are confident he will give satisfaction to those who may favor him with their patronage. (daw1t

Grand Sunday School Excursion.—The First M. E. Sunday School will positively give their excursion and basket picnic to Champaign and Urbana, on Wednesday, July 1st. The Champaign City Park, containing twenty acres, has been secured in which to hold the picnic. This trip will afford an opportunity to all who may desire to visit the Agricultural College, and various other objects of interest in and about Champaign. Distance, 50 miles, over smooth track, in elegant coaches. Citizens of Decatur generally, and everybody along the route, are cordially invited to accompany the excursion. Nothing will be omitted by the committee of arrangements to render the trip an agreeable one to all who may go.

Fare, for the round trip, adults, $1.00; children under 15 years, 50 cents. Persons going from Monticello, half fare from that point. The train will leave the I., B. & W. depot, north of the Woolen Factory, at 7:30 a. m., sharp; leave Oreana, 7:50; leave Argenta, 8:00; Monticello, 8:20—arriving at Champaign, 9:20. Returning leave Champaign at 5:00 p. m., and arrive in Decatur at 7:00.

All persons should procure their tickets early so that the management may procure a sufficient number of cars to prevent a crowd.

Tickets may be obtained at all the book stores, and at W. R. Abbott's jewelry store.

J. R. GOBIN,
A. E. KINNEY,
Committee of Arrangements.

The I., B. & W. R'y will sell round trip tickets at excursion rates from and to all stations on their main line, Havana extension and Decatur branch on July 4th. For the accommodation of those who visit Decatur that day, Supt. A. H. Wood has given orders that No. 26 will depart from Decatur at 6 p. m. instead of 2:50 p. m.

June 22, daw-td.

ARREST OF MADAME DAVIS

Daring Effort to Escape—She makes a Desperate Attempt to Shoot a Police Officer—Committed to Jail in Default of $3,300 Bail.

The notorious Madame Davis, whose escape from a policeman by whom she was arrested on sundry charges was chronicled in the REPUBLICAN a number of weeks since, secretly returned to her house, known by the romantic name of "Idlewild," a few days ago. Last night her agent came up town about 1 o'clock to procure the police to arrest two social evils living at the Madame's, whom, it seems, had been taking unwarrantable liberties with that lady's wardrobe, and were shining in some of her gaudy dresses and flashy jewelry, which they had appropriated during her absence. The police informed the gentleman that it would be impossible to make the arrest without being deputized by the proper authority, and advised the agent to take out a warrant.

The Madame arrived up town about two o'clock, and went to the residence of Justice Albert and awoke him for that purpose. His honor, with official dignity not in the least ruffled at thus being roused from his innocent slumbers, went to his office in Powers' block and drafted the desired document. Meanwhile the indefatigable Jennings was on the war-path with five capiases in his coat tail pocket. These were left by Judge Smith when circuit court adjourned, to be served during the recess. They were: For selling intoxicating liquors to minors, $500 bail; for selling intoxicating liquors to a minor, $500; keeping lewd house, $1,000; selling liquor without license, $500; keeping open tippling house, $800—making an aggregate sum of $3,300 bail. He arrived in Justice Albert's office a few moments after that interesting lady—Madam Davis—had taken her departure, and learning that she had gone started in pursuit. He found her at the bottom of the stairs, and mildly informed her that she was under arrest.

She was surprised and enraged, storming about in a terrific manner. She begged leave to absent herself a few minutes—the same old dodge she played so successfully when arrested before. This request Sheriff Jennings rather incautiously granted. Before she had gone but a short distance it flashed upon him that she was meditating an escape, and he started after her. She came out of the alley into which she had turned at the corner between Leiby's bakery and Durfee's agricultural store, and ran with all her speed up the street. Sheriff Jennings followed in swift pursuit, and caught her at the corner in front of Armstrong's drug store. She made the most violent resistance, swearing and cursing and struggling so fiercely that the sheriff was obliged to obtain the assistance of Mr. Bob Wilkinson, the merchant police.

It was with the utmost effort that they succeeded in dragging the struggling, cursing woman to jail. On the stone steps in front of that building she asked Mr. Wilkinson to release his grasp as he was hurting her wrist; he complied. Quick as a flash she dived her hand into her pocket and drew forth a loaded revolver and presented it squarely to his breast; she pulled the trigger, but the weapon was not properly cocked and did not go off. In an instant Sheriff Jennings dashed her arm down and wrenched the pistol from her hand.

Had the pistol gone off the effect would have been fatal, and the terrible crime of murder would have been added to the other heinous offences of Madame Davis, who is now in the firm clutches of the law, securely locked behind prison bars.

Einstein's is the place to find beautiful Striped Percales. 29-d1w

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. Hervey, president of the T. H., P. & D. R. R., who is now in England, will embark for America this week. By the way, Mr. Hervey is the son of a noble Duke. But he can't help that.

Among the arrivals at the Priest are L. S. Cassell and M. Cohnbert, Springfield drummers.

D. Martin, of Pekin, an old member of one of the distilleries there, is at Priest's Hotel.

D. M. Caskill, of Taylorville, a "limb of the law" well known to the legal fraternity of this city, is stopping at Priest's Hotel.

Dr. O. D. Whitney, of Cerre Gordo, wrestles his hash at Priest's Hotel.

G. S. Case, of St. Louis, representative of a large dry goods house in that city, is registered at the Priest.

Misses Jessie Fenton and Laura Einstein returned to-day noon from Springfield, where they have been on a visit for the past two weeks. Their friends in Decatur will be glad to greet them.

John B. Carey, Esq., of Maroa, paid us a friendly visit to-day. He says all the various political parties have adherents in Maroa, and that it will take three or four more conventions and tickets to furnish congenial resting places for all the versatile statesmen of that enterprising burg.

Einstein has just received a lot of Lace Points, which must be sold. 29 d1w

S. Einstein has just returned from the East with a large lot of new goods. 29-d1w

Important to Boarders.—Ten or twelve regular boarders can be accommodated with board and good rooms at $4,00 per week, at No. 29 West North street.—Table board will be furnished for $3,00 per week. NEWTON THOMPSON.

May 13-dtf.

The Place to get nice fitting custom boots and shoes, is at the Rolling Mill Boot and Shoe Store, C. L. Wood, proprietor—near the Agricultural Works.—Mr. P. D. Kline is cutter and fitter. Call and leave your measure. May 1 dtf

DRY GOODS.

LINN & SCRUGGS!

Have now in store, and will continue to receive every day throughout the season,

FRESH, NEW GOODS,

In British, French and American

DRESS GOODS,

Dress Trimmings, Ribbons, Laces, Ladies', Childrens' and Gent's Underwear, Gloves, Fans, Notions, &

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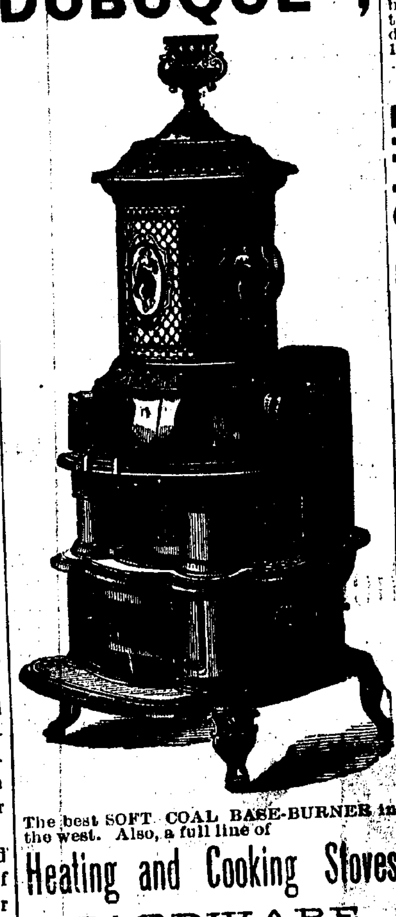

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MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, August term, A. D. 1874

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that a certain suit is now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of Macon county, state of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Jemima Wrigley, is plaintiff, and Mary Platt, Ben O. Platt, Percival Platt, Kate Chichester, Emma Chichester, Edward Platt, Laura Platt, Albert L. Platt, George Platt, Jane Platt, (also called Jenevia Platt,) William Platt, Walter Platt, Charles Platt, Sarah A. Platt, Harriet McPherson, Abraham M. Gardener, and James R. Bull are defendants; and that summons in said cause has been issued, directed to the Sheriff of Macon county, Illinois, commanding him to summons said defendants to appear at the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, Illinois; and that unless you and each of you be and appear at the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court within and for the county of Macon, in the state of Illinois, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

(August 3d), to plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill and allegations therein set forth, the said bill will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

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MACON COUNTY,

In Circuit Court, August term, A. D. 1874,

ELIZA GRAVES,
vs. } *In Chancery.*
WALKER H. TISDALE,
ROXANA C. TISDALE,

To whom it may concern:

Take notice, that a certain suit is now pending in the circuit court of Macon county, state of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Eliza Graves is plaintiff, and Walker H. Tisdale and Roxana C. Tisdale are defendants; and that summons has issued in said cause, returnable to the next term of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, to be holden at the court house, in Decatur, in said county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

and that unless you and each of you then and there appear to plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill, and the allegations therein stated, the said bill will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.

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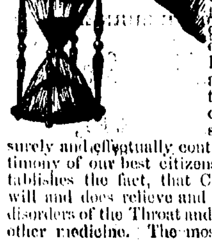

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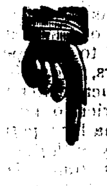

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court to the August term, A. D. 1874.

Drusilla Clark, Executrix of the last will and testament of Samuel Clark, deceased, vs. Moses C. Hicks and Elizabeth A. Hicks

CHANCERY.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the above named defendants, Moses C. Hicks and Elizabeth A. Hicks, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given, that the above named complainant hath filed her certain bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday in August, next, as by law required.

Now unless you the said Moses C. Hicks and Elizabeth A. Hicks, shall personally be and appear before said circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, on the

First Monday of August,

next, being the time and place when and where said summons is returnable, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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June 19, 1874-d4w.

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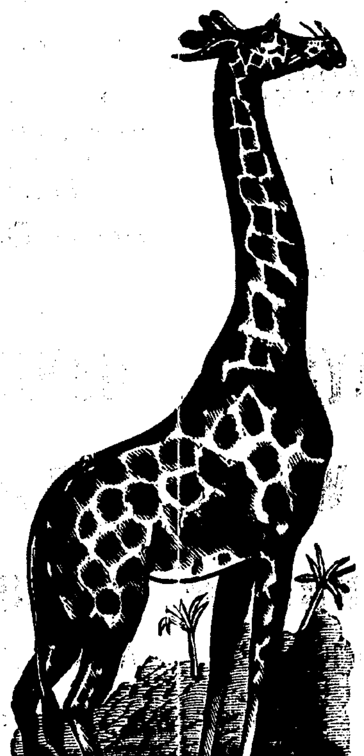

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No. 770.

A ONE STORY FRAME HOU lots, in block 6, North addit on Water street. $1200.

No. 1003.

A HOUSE and lot in block 1 Prather's addition of out l south, on West Main street. C

No. 1039.

A HOUSE and ot, in block 4, tion, on Church street. f $900.

No. 1137.

80 ACRE FARM, in section 15, range 2 east. High with running water. $2500.

No. 1133.

50 ACRES, about 2½ miles Decatur, in section 18, range 2 east. $35 per acre.

No. 1027.

80 ACRES TIMBER LAN southeast of city, in sect ship 16, range 2 east. $2500

No. 1051.

A TWO STORY FRAME HOU 3, South addition, on South $3200.

No. 1070.

A HOUSE and lot on East W in Allen, McReynolds & C $2100.

1138

160 ACRE FARM, in sect ship 15, range 2 east. frame dwelling, barn, &c. hedge, and well improved. acre.

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40 ACRES in Piatt county, acre.

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178 ACRES in section 7, range 2 east. Two otherwise well improved. acre.

1143

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1089

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